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SUBJECT: PRESS REACTION TO TURKISH TROOP WITHDRAWAL

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1. JANUARY 25 WITHDRAWAL OF 500 TURKISH TROOPS
WAS GIVEN MINOR ATTENTION IN GREEK CYPRIOT PRESS
BUT WAS LEAD STORY IN TURKISH CYPRIOT PAPERS.
GOC SPOKESMAN DISMISSED THE WITHDRAWAL AS "WITHOUT
ANY IMPORTANCE IN LIGHT OF THE ARMAMENT AND LARGE
NUMBER OF THE REMAINING TURKISH FORCES." CONSERVATIVE
AGON CHARACTERIZED THE PULL-OUT AS A "FEW BUCKETFULS

OF WATER TAKEN FROM BEHIND A DAM."

2. TURKISH CYPRIOT PRESS DEVOTED PROMINENT SPACE
TO PHOTOGRAPHS OF AND REPORTS ON THE WITHDRAWAL
CEREMONY. TURKISH CYPRIOT PRESS REPORTED THE 500
MEN CONSTITUTED A UNIT. (COMMENT. DATT BELIEVES
THAT SOLDIERS WITHDRAWN WERE NOT A UNIT AS SUCH.
SEE REF MESSAGE). END COMMENT.
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